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SUBJ: PROPOSED SEYCHELLES CRUISE WITH KENYA NAVY

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1. IN COURSE OF CALL AT DEFENCE MINISTRY AUGUST 2#

DCM RAISED

SUBJECT OF PROPOSED JOINT US-KENYA NAVY MANEUVER IN OCTOBER WITH PERMANENT SECRETARY KIEREINI AND ASKED WHETHER IDEA HAD BEEN APPROVED AT POLICY-MAKING LEVEL OF KENYAN GOVERNMENT. KIEREINI SAID HE HAD HEARD NOTHING ABOUT IT, BUT WOULD ASK KENYAN NAVY COMMANDER KIMARO FOR HIS VIEWS.

2. IF, AFTER DISCUSSING PROPOSAL WITH KIMARO, THEY DECIDE THAT MANEUVER WOULD OFFER SIGNIFICANT TRAINING BENEFITS TO KENYAN NAVY AND THAT THERE WOULD BE LITTLE RISK OF NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY, KIEREINI WOULD SEEK APPROVAL OF PRESIDENT KENYATTA AND ADVISE US OFFICIALLY. DCM MADE IT CLEAR THAT PROPOSAL DOES NOT AS YET HAVE USG APPROVAL, BUT THAT WE WOULD SEEK APPROVAL IF KENYAN GOVERNMENT IS INTERESTED.

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3. IN VIEW OF FOREGOING, EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT NO SPECIFIC

PLANS FOR POSSIBLE JOINT MANEUVER BE MADE UNTIL WE GET AN
OFFICIAL KENYAN REACTION.
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